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Title : CONDUCTIVE PASTE

Assignee : Murata Manufacturing Co., Ltd.

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The present application is a divisional under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) of prior application Serial No. 10/277,044, filed October 22, 2002, by Akira Nagai and Fumiya Adachi entitled CONDUCTIVE PASTE.

Enclosed herewith please find the following documents in the above-identified application for United States Letters Patent:

- 12 Pages of Specification including Abstract and Claims.
- 20 Numbered Claims Calculated as 20 Claims for Fee Purposes.
- <u>1</u> sheets of Drawings containing Figures 1.
- X Copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney from the prior application under 37 CFR § 1.63(d). The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated herein by reference.
- X Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on Japanese Application No. 2001-324468, filed October 23, 2002, is claimed. The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in said prior application Serial No. 10/277,044, filed October 22, 2002.
- X The prior application was assigned to Murata Manufacturing Co., Ltd. and was recorded on October 22, 2002, at Reel 013408, Frame 0704.
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